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Revenue Fire Branch £2,581,458
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THE WAR.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

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STIRRING SPEECH BY KERENSKY.

RUSSIA BLEEDING FROM EVERY PORE.

APPEALS TO THE ALLIES FOR ASSISTANCE.

LONDON, June 28. M. Kerensky, speaking at the Labour Conference, said he was present as a matter of duty and as a man who knew all that was the truth, which had at length reached Western Europe. The infernos of the Allied countries were inexplicably interwoven, and the fate of Russia, which bore such a great war burden, could not be a matter of indifference to the Allies. The Russian people in the past had experienced trials like those of the present, but always emerged from them, strengthened and renewed. She was now biding under the merciless insults of Germany, who was exploiting the country in her own interests by most reactionary methods. Russia to-day was bleeding from every pore but still opposed the enemy's invasion. (Cheers.)

I bear witness that the Russian people will never recognise the treaty of Brest-Litovsk, which has hurled Russia into the abyss of annihilation. For three years Russian soldiers, sometimes without arms and munitions and in a condition none outside of Russia could imagine, had to fight an enemy who was perfectly equipped and cruelly remorseless. The Russian soldiers, however, were the first to fall in the struggle. The great Russian Revolution exalted their courage, but could not immediately infuse life into them. It is a thousand pities that the warning voices coming from Russia were not heeded at the time by the Western Allies.

The treacherous cults of peace by Germany were not unmasked and the mass of the Russian soldiers, importuned by German agents, were taken in by false appeals, only to have placed on their backs all the bitterness and horrors of a German peace.

Equally startling is the report in a Petrograd paper to the effect that Generals Korniloff and Kaledin, with German troops who had occupied Moscow, overthrown the Bolsheviks and proclaimed the Grand Duke Nicholas Emperor, while Lenin and Trotsky have fled to the Murman Coast.

Whatever the real position, it seems that the Bolshevik authority throughout Russia is daily weakening. COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT AT HARBIN. FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER OF RUSSIA AT THE HEAD. AMSTERDAM, June 29. The *Vossische Zeitung* announces that the Constitutional and Democratic leader, M. Milinkoff, formerly Foreign Minister, and the October leader, M. Guchkov, have arrived at Harbin and placed themselves at the head of the counter-revolutionary movement. They are considered democratic, what is the essence and characteristic feature of genuine reaction? (Laughter.) The Bolsheviks were responsible for the present state of Russia and the creation of the Dictatorship, which had become a relentless oppression. It might be asked how these conditions could be maintained if the whole population were opposed to it. It was partly attributable to the international conditions of warfare, but mainly due to Bolsheviks whose strength lay in the disorganization of the worn-out masses of soldiers whose declining morale eventually became the vanguard of triumphant German Imperialism. At present it was to the advantage of Germany to maintain this disorganization and anarchy throughout Russia. To realize her aim Germany must paralyze the central cities. Therefore, the

London, June 29. The *Daily News* Correspondent at Zurich says Austria-Hungary through an unofficial representative at Switzerland, has attempted during the last few days to discover the Allied standpoint upon important questions.

The emissary represented himself as being in the Emperor's inner circle. He failed to establish contact and has

INTIMATIONS

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS IN THE ABOVE COMPANY, will be held at the Company's Office, St. George Building, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd JULY, 1918, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the General Managers, and Statements of Accounts to 31st May, 1918.

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Hongkong, June 24, 1918. 545

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THE WAR.

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SUNDAY'S TELEGRAMS.

UPHEAVAL IN GERMANY.

YON KUEHLMANN'S SPEECH.

PRODUCES DISAPPOINTMENT.

LONDON, June 27.

The debate in the Reichstag, following Herr von Kuehmann's speech, showed that all parties, except the Extreme Left, were disappointed at its gloominess, especially with the talk of a prolonged war and the ignoring of German victories.

Herr von Kuehmann, replying, endeavoured to placate the members by admitting that German military success must precede peace negotiations.

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YON KUEHLMANN'S RESIGNATION PROBABLE.

BASLE, June 27.

It is rumoured in Berlin that Herr von Kuehmann is about to resign.

WAR AGAINST KUEHLMANN BY PAN-GERMANS.

SPEECH RESENTED BY TEUTONS.

AMSTERDAM, June 27.

Herr von Kuehmann's speech has caused an upheaval in Germany, where a furious pan-German campaign directed against him has begun. The feeling is already indicated in speeches, in the debate, notably that of the National Liberal. Herr Stresemann, who said that his party bitterly regretted the assertion that German military successes cannot lead to victory, and asked whether anything had occurred to raise a doubt regarding the victorious strength of the German Army.

Herr Kuehmann's speech was the sole topic in the Lobby, where he was violently denounced by the pan-Germans. It is noteworthy that an apparently inspired article by George Bernhard was published in the *Passische Zeitung* simultaneously with Herr von Kuehmann's speech, offering a reconsideration of the Brestilovsk Treaty and a peace based on the states quo ante bellum.

SICK OF PROMISES OF VICTORY.

It is reported that the Army Headquarters protested against the speech, and that Count Herling, representative of Herr von Kuehmann's pessimism and also Herr von Kuehmann's reclamation were made in obedience to the "All Highest's" command.

Another remarkable utterance in the debate was a speech of the Progressive, Herr Naumann, which was telegraphed fully to Amsterdam by order of the Foreign Office, an honour usually reserved to important Ministerial pronouncements. Herr Naumann pleaded for peace based on the realisation of the impossibility of a complete German victory, and said that hundreds of thousands of German soldiers thought similarly to Herr von Kuehmann and were sick of the promise of "victory next time."

"WILFUL ANTAGONISM TO KAISER'S VIEW."

LONDON, June 27.

Herr von Kuehmann's speech continues to absorb the attention of the German Press, which generally strongly condemn its tone.

Count Reventlow, in the *Tagesschiff*, which is the bitterest opponent of Herr Kuehmann, asserts that the latter is fondly soliciting a friendly antagonism to the Kaiser's view, namely Anglo-Saxondom *versus* Germanism. He accuses Herr Kuehmann of regarding England as invincible.

The *Tagesschiff* states that the Conservatives and the National Liberals are working for Herr Kuehmann's fall, but his resignation will create such an obscure political situation that it is improbable.

SERIOUS SITUATION IN HUNGARY.

AMSTERDAM, June 27.

The Premier, Dr. Weckerle, speaking in the Hungarian Chamber, disclosed a serious situation at Budapest, and admitted that most of the factories had ceased working.

The newspapers are not appearing, consequently, the panic for news is widespread. Leaflets are being issued daily alleging that the Government's days are numbered.

Dr. Weckerle has urged the necessity for a less severe military supervision of factories.

AIR RAID HAYOD IN GERMANY.

LONDON, June 27.

A British Air Ministry official report states—

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TELEGRAMS.

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THE ITALIAN FRONT.
ITALIANS CAPTURE PRISONERS.LONDON, June 27.
An Italian official message states: We took 500 prisoners during the operation of extending the bridge-head at Capocele on the 23rd inst.

AUSTRIAN REPORTS.

LONDON, June 27.
An Austrian official message claims that the Italians unsuccess- fully attempted to capture Col-dol-Rosso.

The Italians, endeavouring to cross the Dnieper in boats near Pontezi, were destroyed.

ITALIAN FAILURE CLAIMED.

LONDON, June 27.
A wireless Austrian official report states:

We heavily repulsed strong thrusts on the Zidua Ridge.

The bitter struggle on June 24th ended in a complete Italian failure, which was most perceptible in the disputed regions of Aslone and Monte-Pertica.

Our detachments, pursuing the enemy, captured several sectors of his front line.

All the Italian efforts to recapture the ground lost on June 15th sanguinarily failed.

AMERICANS REPULSE RAIDERS.

LONDON, June 27.
An American official message states:

We repulsed raiding parties in the Vosges.

ELOQUENT SPEECH BY
AUSTRALIAN PREMIER.LONDON, June 27.
A French official message states: The "SICKENING FOLLY" OF
OPEN-DOOR ADVOCATES.REASON FOR GERMANY'S
COMMERCIAL SUPREMACY.

LONDON, June 28.

At a luncheon given by the London Chamber of Commerce at the Carlton Street Hotel in his honour the Australian Premier, the Hon. W. M. Hughes said: The Allies were facing a supreme crisis in the war. The next few weeks would be pregnant with tremendous possibilities. German military men fully recognised that they must either achieve a decisive victory now or continue the hopeless struggle against the daily increasing odds. It would be foolish to underestimate the immediate danger, but clearly the enemy was becoming increasingly anxious. Herr von Kuehlmann's speech was a clear admission that the recent enemy offensives had been but barren gains, that a military success, if not impossible, was further off than ever, and that, unless victory was gained, politically Germany must prepare for a long war.

The fact that the Russian prisoners vastly outnumber the Germans led the Russians to propose a proportional exchange, but the Germans would only agree to a man for man exchange, thus retaining a large surplus for warwork.

They met with a most furious barrage.

A number of bombs were dropped.

The "All clear" was sounded at 12.35 a.m.

RUSSO-GERMAN EXCHANGE OF
PRISONERS.

COMMISSION SUSPENDED.

MOSCOW, June 27.

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ALLIED INTERVENTION IN RUSSIA.

MEASURES BEING CONSIDERED.

LONDON, June 27.

In the House of Commons, replying to Mr. W. A. Chapple (Liberal M.P. for Stirling), Lord Robert Cecil said: The allied Governments were constantly discussing measures with a view to saving Russia from German invasion, domination and exploitation, but he was present on the question of intervention.

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THE CHINA MAIL.

INTERNATIONAL SOCIALIST
CONFERENCE.

QUESTION AGAIN MOUTED.

LONDON, June 27.

At the Labour Conference, M. Brautigam advocated an International Socialist Conference. He believed that it was still possible to find Austro-German Socialists, who are prepared to repudiate the system of domination for which Prussia was fighting.

M. Kerecany, who was received with wild cheering and the singing of "He is a jolly good fellow" also spoke.

LABOUR MINISTERS AND
GOVERNMENT.

DECIDE NOT TO RESIGN.

LONDON, June 27.

The Labour Members of the Government met to-day to consider the position, in view of yesterday's resolution at the Labour Conference terminating the Party.

In view of Mr. Henderson's emphatic declaration that the Labour Executive did not desire the Labour Members to leave the Government, it is understood that the Labour Ministers have decided not to resign from the Government, at any rate, for the present.

NADAY, JULY 1, 1918.

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July, 1918, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of
the Public Works Department, by Order of
His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot
of CROWN LAND, at Happy Valley, in
the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75
years, with the option of renewal at 25
years, to be held by the Surveyor of
His Excellency the King, for one further
term of 75 years.

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TOTO KISEN KAISHA.

FROM SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS
Via SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU
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THE Steamship

"KIYO MARU."

The above-named Steamer having
arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby
advised to send in their Bills of Lading for
counter signature, and to take immediate
delivery from alongside.

Cargo remaining undelivered on 3rd
July, 1918, at 5 P.M. will be landed at
Costa Rica at risk and expense, and delivery
must then be taken from the Company's
Gallop.

Storage charges will be assessed on all
Cargo remaining undelivered on 8th
July, 1918, at 5 P.M.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be
offered. No claim will be recognised after the
15th July, 1918.

T. DAIGO,

Manager.

Hongkong, July 1, 1918.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM KOBE AND MOJI.

THE Steamship

"TJILIWONG"

having arrived from the above ports,
Consignees of Cargo by her are advised
that all Goods are being landed at their
risk into the hazard and/or extra
hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong
and Rowton Wharf and Godown Co.,
Ltd, whence and/or from the wharves
delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 7th July,
1918, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged
packets are to be left in the Godown,
where they will be examined on the 8th
July, 1918, at 10 a.m.

Claims against the steamer must be
presented in writing within TEN days
after arrival of steamer, otherwise they
will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by
the Underwriters in any case whatever.

Bills of Lading will be countermanded.

JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LYN.

Hongkong, July 1, 1918.

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OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.
THE WEEKLY EDITION OF THE
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OF THE WORLD.

to decline any request by the
Entente Powers to intervene in
Siberia, but this announcement we
suspect gives a very misleading
idea of the position. Recent news
points to the fact that the Bolsheviks
have had to withdraw considerable
forces from Eastern Siberia, and
thus a situation which was becoming
alarming to Japan and China has
been substantially relieved. A
Reuter's telegram from Harbin last
week reported that Colonel
SKURTOFF (a member of General
SIMONOV's staff) in an interview
declared that the present political
situation in Siberia required the
immediate united and energetic
action of all the Russian military
organizations striving to overcome
the Bolshevik movement, which
would meet with the heartiest
welcome of the population. "If such
an operation is successful," he said,
"the Bolsheviks may be overcome
even before the highly desired help
of the Allies is granted." All the
Allies would prefer to see Russia
working out her own salvation in
this way.

The typhoon signal was lowered
at 0.30 this morning. The
shipping community, yesterday,
evidently expected that the typhoon
would be felt here to a much greater
extent than was really the case. Nearly
every steamer in the harbour moved out
to safe anchorage in Kowloon and Junk
Bays, while small craft filled the shelters
at Mongkok and Causeway Bay.

The Colony experienced nothing of
the wind but rain fell heavily all night
and has continued for the greater part
of the day.

Some optimists started off this
morning for the golf links, but
"bridge" probably was found to be the
only pastime possible.

The Great Northern Telegraph Co.
announces that telegraphic communica-
tion with Amoy is totally interrupted.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Another lot of Crown land on the
ridge, Happy Valley is being put up
to public auction, the upset price being
\$3,482.30.

The typhoon yesterday afternoon
was reported by the Manila Observ-
atory to be near or over the southern
part of Formosa Channel moving
W.N.W. or N.W.

We are asked by the Royal Naval
Quadrille Club to mention that owing
to the death of Petty Officer Adams,
Manager, R.N. Canteen, the fortnightly
whist drive for to-night will be held by the
R.N. Quadrille Club is cancelled.

As the Custodian of Enemy Pro-
perty in the Colony, Mr. E. D. C.
Wolfe has set forth in pamphlet form
as briefly as possible, the provisions
of the Treaty with the Enemy
Ordinances and the Claims against
Enemies Ordinance 1918, in so far as
they lay down the duties and obligations
of persons resident in the Colony
of Hongkong in respect of enemy pro-
perty and in respect of claims against
enemies. Everybody concerned will
welcome this concise summary of the
ordinances.

It is probable that few, if any,
people are aware that Borneo waters
harbour great quantities of sardines. If
you don't believe it, says the Borneo
Herald, come and do a tour of the
islands near Semporna. The sardines
in dense masses, lie close up to the reefs
surrounding the islands. They are
hunted ceaselessly by bigger fish and
devoured by sea gulls if they rise to the
surface to escape. The fish could be
taken in close-meshed seine nets and
canned or salted for the Hongkong and
Singapore markets. When freshly
caught they make delicious eating.

A Chinese youth was before Mr. E.
D. C. Wolfe, at the Magistracy this
morning, with being in unlawful posses-
sion of 160 lbs of prepared opium and
20 lbs of loose opium, valued at \$2,200.
Mr. J. Wildin C.P.O. said the defen-
dant was arrested yesterday afternoon
and the opium was found in a basket
belonging to him. Defendant's excuse
was that the opium belonged to another
man, and he asked for an opportunity to
find him. His Worship thought that
sufficient time had already been given
him, and sentenced defendant to five
months' hard labour.

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TELEGRAMS

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SUCCESSFUL ATTACK THE FRENCH.

1,000 GERMANS CAPTURED

LONDON, June 28.

A French communiqué states that South of the Aisne we attacked this morning from the south Ambly to the east of Mont G with the object of driving the Germans from his fortified positions.

We penetrated the enemy organisation front of seven kilometers and carried the trenches in La Versine and the heights west of Cutry, carrying our line the western outskirts of St. Aigle and to the east-south of the advance attained a maximum depth of two kilometers.

So far 1,000 prisoners have been captured.

During the 26th and the 27th German aeroplanes and four balloons were brought down.

Fifty-eight tons of bombs dropped on aerodromes in the region of the Somme and the Aisne, on entrenchments and bivouacs. General Porchon is sending a reinforced regiment of American infantry to Guignecourt, and the railway staff immediately, for the purpose of Soissons and Fere-en-Tardenois being a moral effect against two ammunition dumps.

Blown up and several fires were observed.

SUCCESSFUL LOCAL OPERATIONS.

LONDON, June 28.

A French communiqué states that North-west of Montdidier slightly advanced to Soissons Wood taking 30 prisoners.

Between the Marne and the Ourcq a local operation south of Dammar enabled us to take 22 prisoners.

SUCCESSFUL BRITISH RAIDS.

PRISONERS AND GUNS CAPTURED.

LONDON, June 28.

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports:

English troops carried out a successful minor operation on a three-and-a-half miles front to the east of Nieppe Forest. We advanced our line to an average depth of nearly a mile. We captured over 300 prisoners and 22 machine-guns.

All our objectives were gained, including the hamlets of Le Pinet, the new Military Service said that 30 young men were gobbled out for every man over who was conscripted. The need men was impelling, and a very terrible number of young men being gobbled out. The

icans were being brigaded our Divisions on the distinct understanding that when men of the out materialised they would be the Americans, enabling the to form their own divisions.

Recent reinforcements include units of specially trained hill-fighting men.

RAID AGAINST BRITISH REPULSED.

LONDON, June 28.

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports:

An attempted raid on a British post in the neighbourhood of Moyen-Neville to the south of Arras was repulsed with loss.

We took a few prisoners in a successful daylight raid near Mericourt, without suffering any casualties.

There was active artillery firing in the neighbourhood of Rossignol Wood and to the south-east of Gommecourt, where our patrols inflicted casualties.

GOOD DAY'S AERIAL WORK

HOSTILE MACHINES DRIVEN DOWN.

LONDON, June 28.

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, reporting on aviation says:

Our aeroplanes did a full day's work on the 27th. There was some increase in hostile activity and more air-fighting.

We destroyed 20 aeroplanes and drove down nine out of control.

Fourteen British machines are missing.

We vigorously bombed behind the lines, dropping 21 tons of bombs on railway junctions and other targets.

ELAZON TYPE NOT NECESSARY.

CHAMBERLAIN'S Colonies and Diaries. Remedy needs no glaring headline to attract the public's eye. The simple statement that all colonies were dead. Despite our disappointment, the Germans were stout as ever when the day of victory arrived, and came Greeks would be lost.

AIR-RAID ON PARIS. ELEVEN KILLED AND FOURTEEN INJURED.

MATERIAL DAMAGE FAIRLY CONSIDERABLE.

PARIS, June 28.

An official message states:

Groups of enemy aeroplanes attacked Paris at 10.40 last evening and dropped bombs.

The "all clear" signal was given at midnight.

LATER.

The casualties in yesterday evening's air-raid were 11 killed and 14 injured.

LATER.

Many of the casualties in the air-raid on the 27th were due to large numbers remaining in the streets, thus becoming victims of bombs and shrapnel.

The material damage was fairly considerable.

The enemy came in relays from different directions.

AMERICAN CO-OPERATION IN ITALY.

A MORAL EFFECT AGAINST AUSTRIA.

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VALIAN NAVAL AERIAL SUCCESS.

AYS OF BURAZZI BOMBED.

LONDON, June 28.

An Italian communiqué states:

Squadrons bombed the quays and harbors at Burazzu with good results

the 26th and the 27th. All our ships returned undamaged.

We drove down an enemy aero-plane, which was returning after taking our torpedo vessels.

DRASTIC COMB-OUT AT HOME.

GAGING OF AMERICANS WITH ENGLISH DIVISIONS ONLY TEMPORARY.

LONDON, June 28.

In the House of Commons, Mr.

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He states the establishment of a

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being considered with the object of

strengthening, research, which is

necessary even at a cost of

£100,000 monthly, as the latent

qualities among the members of the

English-speaking race will be found

to be as striking and surprising to

the foreigner as the splendid achieve-

ments of the Armies have been.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE WESTERN FRONT.

ENEMY PREPARATIONS FOR NEW BLOW COMPLETE.

LONDON, June 28.

A telegram from Etterden says that

the German preparations for a new blow in the West are complete.

Every available man has left the German barracks and camps for the front.

Indications are that the main attack

will be in Flanders, with simultaneous

attacks at other points on the British

Front. It is believed that General

Ludendorff intends to make a desperate

effort to capture the range of hills

westward of Kemmel.

Recent reinforcements include units

of specially trained hill-fighting men.

GERMAN REPORT.

LONDON, June 28.

A wireless German official message

reports lively British and French activity

across the Somme and great intensity

of the enemy's fire across the Lys

between Bailleul and Bethune and southward of the Aisne.

GERMANY AND POLAND.

LONDON, June 28.

The message states:

We shot down 30 aeroplanes.

ALSACE AND LORRAINE.

HINDENBURG'S SOLUTION.

AMSTERDAM, June 27.

In the Reichstag the Alsatian, Herr

Baues, strongly complained of the

treatment of Alsace-Lorraine by the

Prussian Government and read a letter from General Luden-

dorff in which he stated that Field-

Marshal von Hindenburg advocates

the union of Alsace-Lorraine with Prussia

as the best solution.

AMERICA AND THE WAR.

HUGE MILITARY PLANS.

WASHINGTON, June 27.

Mr. Blandford, the member in charge of

the Foreign Affairs Bill, which carries 5,432

million dollars for field artillery and

heavy guns for the Western Front

and gave the country a idea of the

huge scale on which American military

plans were based. The only inference

was that the American Army would be

prepared to meet the British in full force

and all possible obstacles.

FURTHER TAXATION IN AUSTRALIA.

MELBOURNE, June 27.

The acting Premier of the Com-

monwealth, Mr. Watt, said that heavy

direct taxation would be necessary in

the near future.

A PROBABLE DISENSIVE ALLIANCE.

A defensive alliance between

Australia, New Zealand and some of

the Pacific Islands is probable after

the war.

PNEUMONIC PLAGUE IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, June 27.

The Press Bureau announces that two

cases of pneumonic plague occurred in

East Sussex.

Both cases were fatal.

No further cases are anticipated.

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AIR-RAID ON PARIS. KUHLMANN'S CLUMSY EFFORT.

LORD ROBERT CECIL CRITICISES THE SPEECH.

London, June 28.

Lord Robert Cecil, interviewed by

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GERMAN AGENTS IN
THE EAST.

The Hague correspondent wrote on May 8: "By invitation I have listened to a lecture by Captain Vermeer, of the Dutch East Indian Army, on German intrigues in the Dutch East Indies. The lecturer, who has been for 18 years in the service of the Colonial Government, showed how the Germans have been endeavouring to extend their influence over the Moslem and Indian populations of the Dutch East Indies and to use that influence as a threat in case of trouble between Holland and Germany. They have also used the Dutch East Indies as a starting-point for intrigues in British India. I summarize the leading points of his speech:

(1.)—The Germans have succeeded in getting a large number of their nationalists into the Dutch Colonial Army. There are 1,500 officers out of 1,732, and 3,419 non-commissioned officers out of 8,000, and also technical employees, such as photographers, chemists, etc. The Germans alone exercise their influence in the Colonial Army as there are no English, Americans or Japanese but only one Frenchman in it. Hence it is a common saying in civil and military clubs that in the event of trouble with Germany the Dutch Indian technical institute would "fly into the air" immediately.

(2.)—From about 1901 onwards all barracks in the colonies have been supplied with a good picture of the German Emperor and the Sultan of Turkey. These are now seen in every barracks room. Sympathy with the Germans has been carefully aroused in the Mohammedan League, the organization of the colonial forces. This influence is mainly exercised in the anti-English tone of the Mohammedan Press and the desire of the natives for that from itself. Captain Vermeer quoted passages from the chief organ of the Mohammedan League, the "Oetcean Hinluk," in support of his contention. In regard to desertions, Captain Vermeer believed that the Germans were able to create discontent owing to the preference in the matter of pay and pensions given by the authorities to Christian native soldiers. Desertsions among Mohammedan troops during the war rose from about 15 per cent. in 1914 to nearly 50 per cent. in 1916.

(3.)—Shortly before the outbreak of the war, and as far as possible afterwards, Germans from Japan, Hongkong, Singapore, New Guinea, and elsewhere, as well as the Dutch East Indies, where they were going to be the German Consulates and were to be native in encouraging native unrest, chiefly in order that the flame may spread to British India. These Germans live largely in the highlands of Java, in the district called Pangeran. The district is recruited by the 15th Battalion, stationed at Samarang. It is significant that Samarang has been characterized lately by native disturbances. Reports published in the Dutch Press record, under various dates in April, the extraordinary reception given by native soldiers of Samarang to the Dutch revolutionary agitator Steevens. This man was carried into the town by native soldiers in triumph at a moment when the Resident of Samarang was unable to leave by train owing to insults from the natives. Eighteen months ago the native troops could not possibly have created a demonstration of any kind, but for a year German agents had been at work. A telegram to the Dutch newspapers on May 1 says that when the political authorities were understood to be about to take action against Steevens, the local committee of the Mohammedan League asked the central committee to raise a protest all over Java.

(4.)—Samarang was where Dekker, who founded the Indian National Party in 1912, came from. He was arrested at San Francisco for taking bribes from Germans to raise trouble in British India, and is now imprisoned.

(5.)—Pangeran was the centre of the activities of the notorious pensioned Lieutenant Kol and von und zu Egloffstein, the latter a brother of the Kaiser's Chamberlain. This district was also visited by Admiral von Spee during the visit of his son to Java. He lodged with rubber planters, and at one place where he lodged with a Dutch authority subsequebtly found a wireless apparatus.

(6.)—Captain Vermeer related how the German agents Hertel & Co.,

made famous through the San Francisco trial, bought up the "Praetor Handelstid," then the principal newspaper, and a few weeks later introduced into it pro-German articles.

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OFFICE.

Men Who Introduced Great
Inventions.

That so many inventions have been made by men not of the profession nor previously engaged in engineering work, seems to me to be a striking proof that the class of mind best suited for research and discovery differs largely and fundamentally from that which in other cases succeeds in directing successfully all kinds of work, men and other operations. Hence I suggest the differentiation indicated above. Bramah was a blacksmith and maker of locks; George Stephenson was a fireman; "Screw-propeller" Smith, the man who patented a good workable propeller and got the "Archimedes" built, was a farmer; Samuel Hall was in the lace trade; Goldsworthy Gurney, a doctor. The inventor who exhibited an internal combustion engine hundred years ago at Cambridge was a person, as was also Rammus the inventor of the hydroplane ship; James Watt was an optical instrument maker; the inventor of the aneroidometer and winner of the K. N. S. A. prize for 1910 was a peddler; "Increasing-girth" Wood, a soft wood librarian; Boscawen, an artist; Armstrong, a lawyer; and even in our own days we have had many very valuable additions made to our knowledge by men outside the profession, which all goes to show how much more liberal we are than the members of those other professions who would monopolise that adjective for their own. —Engineering.

PATENT OF ARABIA IN BALANCE.

The Berlin "Zeitung," journal of inventors, admits that it is the British Government succeed in cutting the Hedjaz railway Turkey will too Arabia.

JUGOSLAVIA.

SERBIA'S CLAIMS IN A PEACE
SETTLEMENT.

The great world war originated in the secular conflict between the Slav and the Austro-Hungarian Government, and the settlement of that controversy must be a primary condition of any lasting European peace. We are apt to say that Alsace-Lorraine was the true "spark" which made war inevitable. But it was in Serbia and not in Alsace-Lorraine, that the war began, and Serbia, and all that Serbia represents, has a first claim to consideration in the settlement. The war has awakened many hopes and aspirations in subject peoples, but none more pure and well-justified, and supported by more disinterested patriots, than those of the Southern Slav. Every claim of justice and sentiment and interest should incline the Allies to look with sympathy on the Jugoslav ideals, says Mr. J. Saxon Mills, Dr. Vojnaj, perhaps the ablest of the writers and workers in this cause, presents in his admirable book (A Dying Empire, Bogumil Vojnaj; George Allen and Unwin, 4s. 6d. net) a case for Jugoslav independence from the Austrian yoke which is impossible to gainsay. If self-determination be not merely an empty phrase that principle applies literally and precisely to the claims of the Slovenes, Croatians and Serbians who compose the Jugoslav nation.

The perpetual subjection of this race to a government representing a dominant minority of the Austro-Hungarian peoples was never probable or practicable. Can anybody imagine that it has become more so after the experiences of the present war? Is it possible that the Jugoslavs, after the torture and proscription to which they have endured at the hands of their present rulers, should be thrown back after the war on any terms whatever under that political anachronism known as the Dual Monarchy? At any rate, Dr. Vojnaj and his friends will hear of no such compromise as a federated Austro-Hungarian empire.

And what is this Austria-Hungary which some persons propose to perpetuate after the war? Dr. Vojnaj reminds us that it is no longer *sui iuris*, that it is now little better than an appanage of Prussia. The Jugoslavs had no desire to remain subject to an independent Austro-Hungarian empire. They have still less to belong to an empire which is only a "main prolongation" for the purpose of realising Prussian ambitions of world-dominion. Jugoslavia offers splendid material for the building of a strong and free nation-state just where such an institution is needed for the counteraction of the Germanic "Drang nach Osten." Germany knows what Austria means to her," writes Dr. Vojnaj. "The master of Austria is master also of the road to the East; and it is a fact of very significant import that in Austria all German parties, including the Pan-Germanists, are for the preservation of Austria." This little book is not only a piece of powerful advocacy, it is a literary work of much charm and distinction, and ranks high in quality and interest in the vast literature to which the war has given birth.

FLEMISH-WALLOON WEDDINGS.

Information from the invaded portion of Belgium reveals a new and most ingenious method invented by Belgians to proclaim their determination to remain united, despite the strenuous efforts of Germany to separate in her interest the Flemish provinces from the Wallon (French-speaking) provinces. It has suddenly become a deliberate custom for Flemish young men and maidens to marry Wallon girls and youths and vice versa. Such acts were the exception before the war; they are becoming the rule now, and due to a general demonstration against which Germany's efforts to produce a divorce between the two Belgian races is quite powerless.

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